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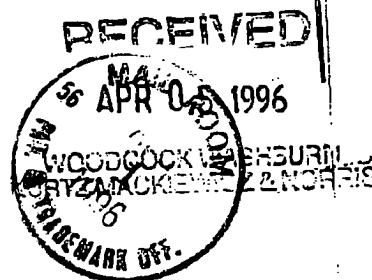
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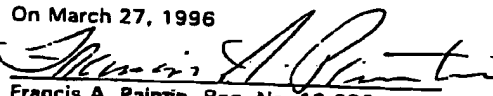
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Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith are two copies of an amendment in
the above-identified application responsive to the Office Action
dated January 17, 1996.

- () Small entity status of this application under 37
CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified
statement previously submitted.
- () A verified statement claiming small entity status
under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- () Statement to Support Filing and Submission of
DNA/Amino Acid Sequences in Accordance with 37 CFR
§§ 1.821 through 1.825.

(XX) No additional fee is required.

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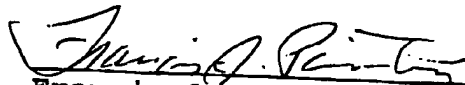
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